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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed December 21, 2007, in connection with the above referenced patent application, the Applicants respectfully request entry of the following amendments and reconsideration in view of the following remarks.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.